SUMMIT COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES

RESOLUTION 09-2019-24/B

WHEREAS, the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program provides assistance and work opportunities to needy families by granting states, territories, and tribes federal funds and wide flexibility with which to develop and implement their own welfare programs with time-limited assistance to promote work, responsibility, and self-sufficiency; and,

WHEREAS, the Summit County Job and Family Services (SCJFS) received TANF grant funding through Title XX 93.667, the Social Services Block Grant, for the purpose of preventing abuse, neglect, or exploitation of children and adults; and,

WHEREAS, in Summit County, family assistance programs are provided through SCJFS and children's assistance services are provided through Summit County Children Services (SCCS); and,

WHEREAS, SCJFS wishes to enter into an Intergovernmental Agreement with SCCS to transfer Title XX/TANF funds to SCCS in an amount not to exceed, One Million, Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,200,000) to be used for Non-Allocated SCCS costs, which is a permitted TANF/Title XX expenditure.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the SCCS Board of Trustees hereby ratifies the SCCS Executive Director's execution of the Intergovernmental Agreement with SCJFS to accept the grant monies as provided through Title XX/TANF in an amount not to exceed, One Million, Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,200,000) and authorizes the SCCS Executive Director to execute any documents necessary to effectuate the transfer.

Anna M. Arvay, Chair

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RESOLUTION 09-2019-24/C

WHEREAS, the Human Services Research Institute (HSRI) has engaged with the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS) for multiple years to evaluate ProtectOhio, which is Ohio's federal Title IV-E research and demonstration project to reduce the number of children in foster care, decrease the time children remain in foster care, and promote adoptions; and,

WHEREAS, the mission of Summit County Children Services (SCCS) is to serve abused, neglected, and dependent children and provide them with a variety of services to promote child safety, permanency, and overall well-being; and,

WHEREAS, consistent with its mission, the SCCS Administration entered into an Agreement with HSRI to provide research data to HSRI relative to various SCCS practices; and,

WHEREAS, the term of such Agreement was July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019, and provided that SCCS would be compensated by HSRI in amount not to exceed, Twenty-Four Thousand Dollars (\$24,000); and,

WHEREAS, HSRI has requested SCCS provide additional research data during the term of July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020, and HSRI will compensate SCCS an additional amount not to exceed, Twenty-Four Thousand Dollars (\$24,000); and,

WHEREAS, SCCS now desires to enter into an amended Agreement with HSRI to provide additional research data in consideration for an amount not to exceed, Twenty-Four Thousand Dollars (\$24,000) in addition to the agreed upon compensation in the initial Agreement for a total amount not to exceed, Forty-Eighty Thousand Dollars (\$48,000) during the two-year term of the Agreement.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the SCCS Board of Trustees hereby authorizes the SCCS Administration to enter into an amended Agreement with the Human Services Research Institute to provide research data and accept a total compensation amount not to exceed, **Forty-Eight Thousand Dollars (\$48,000)** during the term of July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2020. The SCCS Board of Trustees also authorizes the SCCS Administration to enter into any subsequent extensions or amendments to the Agreement.

Anna M. Arvay, Chair

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RESOLUTION 09-2019-24/D

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WHEREAS, the County of Summit Alcohol, Drug Addiction, and Mental Health Services Board (ADM) is seeking voter approval of its 2.95-mill renewal levy on the November 5, 2019 ballot; and,

WHEREAS, ADM provides 24-hour access to people in crisis and provides screening, assessment, referral, treatment and support services for adults, teens and children with mental illness and/or alcohol/drug addiction; and,

WHEREAS, Summit County families and children with mental illness and/or alcohol/drug addiction benefit from the services provided by ADM; and,

WHEREAS, SCCS believes that passage of the renewal levy will further positive changes and support services to help strengthen Akron's families affected by mental illness and alcohol and drug addiction.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the SCCS Board of Trustees hereby authorizes:

That SCCS supports ADM as an important community partner in providing services which address the best interests of families and children with mental illness and/or alcohol/drug addiction in Summit County; and,

That SCCS hereby invests in the children of Akron by endorsing ADM's renewal levy and authorizes the Citizens Committee and ADM to use the name of Summit County Children Services for advertisements and general publicity purposes related to the levy campaign.

Anna M. Arvay, Chair